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In compliance with the concise explanation requirement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(3) for

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JP 5-65403, and JP 2002-088148. In addition, English-language abstracts are being submitted

for JP 7-62218 and JP 7-62217. All of these documents were cited in the International Search

Report and in the Information Disclosure Statement filed on October 3, 2005, but at the time

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JP 5-65403, and JP 2002-088148 were cited in the International Preliminary Report on

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